Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, On January 25, 1948, a boy child was born and christened Randy Wright; and,

WHEREAS, Randy grew to manhood in Highmore, South Dakota, when he wasn't running away from home, and received diplomas from Highmore High School and South Dakota State University; and,

WHEREAS, While in high school, Randy was involved in sports and was Highmore's top debator for four years, and while attending SDSU was on the Economics Debating Team; and

WHEREAS, Randy and his wife, Alice, have been blessed with two sons, Ross and Jess, setting the stage for the next major event in Randy's life--grandfatherhood; and,

WHEREAS, At one time, Randy was a useful member of the Wright-Way Insurance Agency, but his usefulness is quickly drawing to a close as he approaches the age of Geritol, dentures, prunes and Medicare; and,

WHEREAS, Randy Wright is racing to his FORTIETH birthday, an event which will end his trustworthiness and relegate his social life to rocking chairs and lap rugs; and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper for the Governor to proclaim to all of South Dakota that Randy Wright is just plain OLD:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim January 25, 1988, as

RANDY WRIGHT IS OVER THE HILL DAY

in South Dakota, and I urge all of Randy's many friends and relatives to mock him and rub it in, because he is now a member in good standing of the "Over-the-Hill Gang."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twentieth Day of January, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Eight

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE